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Naples, June 14.

ON Sunday laſt Count Kaunitz, by Order of the Empreſs Queen, gave a moſt magnificent Ball, after having diſtributed to the Populace 40000 Silver Coins of her Sicilian Majeſty, about the Size of Shillings and Sixpences. The Great Duke of Tuſcany was preſent at this Donation, and the Money was thrown by Count Kaunitz and her Royal Highneſs's Attendants. The Great Dutcheſs having been ſlightly indiſpoſed, was not at Count Kaunitz's Entertainment. On Wedneſday Count Kaunitz likewiſe, by Order of the Empreſs, gives a maſked Ball; and, on Sunday next, M. Clemente, the Spaniſh Miniſter, by Order of his Catholic Majeſty, will give a Concert and Ball to the Nobility, and a Cucagna to the Populace.

Stockholm, June 17. During the Exerciſe at the Camp laſt Wedneſday, Prince Frederick received a ſlight Wound in his Foot by a Soldier's Bayonet falling upon it; which obliged his Royal Highneſs to leave the Camp, and to return to Dronningholm.

Berlin, June 25. Her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs of Pruſſia is ſo well recovered, that ſhe went Yeſterday to Potzdam

Princeſs Ferdinand of Pruſſia having been for ſome Time indiſpoſed, the Phyſicians have adviſed the Uſe of the Baths of Aix la Chapelle; and accordingly his Royal Highneſs Prince Ferdinand, and the Princeſs, ſat out for that Place on the 18th Inſtant.

The King of Pruſſia, accompanied by the Prince Royal, arrived on the 20th, in perfect Health, at Potzdam.

Hague, July 1. The King of Denmark arrived at Utrecht in the Night between Monday and Tueſday laſt: His Majeſty declined the Honours offered him, and the Deputation of the States of that Province, which waited on him on Tueſday Morning, but was pleaſed to receive the Gentlemen who compoſed it, on the Footing of a private Viſit, and to admit them to the Honour of Dining with him. His Majeſty went on Wedneſday to Amſterdam by Water, and has ſignified his Intention of going to the Hague on the 4th Inſtant. Baron de Choüſſes has notified to the Miniſters of the States his Majeſty's earneſt Deſire to remain incognito, and to be treated as a private Gentleman.

The Prince of Orange has been at Zutphen to review the Garriſon, and was by the laſt Accounts returned to Loo, in good Health. His Serene Highneſs is expected here on the 11th.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 29th Day of *June*, 1768,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

IT having been repreſented to His Majeſty, that ſeveral Perſons, who have obtained Orders of His Majeſty in Council for Grants of Land in His Majeſty's Iſland of St John in North America, have neglected to take out ſuch Orders, or, if taken out, to preſent them to His Majeſty's Governor of Nova Scotia, by Means whereof His Majeſty's Gracious Intentions, with Reſpect to the Settlement of that Iſland, may be defeated, and the Cultivation and Improvement thereof greatly obſtructed and retarded; It is therefore this Day ordered by His Majeſty in Council, that the Governor, or Commander in Chief for the Time being, of His Majeſty's Colony of Nova Scotia, do forbear to paſs any Grants, under the Seal of that Colony, of any Lots or Parcels of Land in His Majeſties ſaid Iſland of St. John, unleſs His Majeſty's Order in Council, directing the ſame, ſhall have been produced to him on or before the firſt Day of May, which ſhall be in the Year 1769: And that this His Majeſty's Order in Council be publiſhed in the London Gazette, to the End that all Perſons concerned may have due Notice thereof. *Steph. Cottrell.*

St. James's, July 6.

This Day his Excellency the Count de Chatelet, Ambaſſador from France, had a private Audience of His Majeſty, to notify the Death of the Queen of France

And afterwards M. Batailhe de Francis, Miniſter Plenipotentiary in the Abſence of the Ambaſſador, had his firſt Private Audience of His Majeſty, to deliver his Credentials.

To which they were introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Shelburne, one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State; and conducted by Stephen Cottrell, Eſq; Aſſiſtant Maſter of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, July 7.

This Day his Excellency the Count de Chatelet, Ambaſſador from France, had a Private Audience of Her Majeſty, to notify the Death of the Queen of France.

And afterwards M. Batailhe de Francis, Miniſter Plenipotentiary from France in the Abſence of the Ambaſſador, had a Private Audience of Her Majeſty.

To which they were introduced by the Honourable Robert Brudenell, Eſq; Vice-Chamberlain to Her Majeſty, and conducted by Stephen Cottrell, Eſq; Aſſiſtant Maſter of the Ceremonies.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, July 7, 1768.

Orders for the Court's going into Mourning on Sunday next the 10th Inſtant, for the late Queen of France, viz.

The Ladies to wear black Silk, fringed or plain Linnen, white Gloves, black or white Shoes, Fans, and Tippets.

The Men to wear Black full trimmed, fringed or plain Linnen, black Swords and Buckles.

And on Sunday the 17th Inſtant, the above Mourning

Mourning to be changed to the following, viz.

The Ladies to wear black Silk or Velvet, coloured Ribbons, Fans, and Tippets; or plain White, or White and Gold, or White and Silver Stuffs, with black Ribbons.

The Men to wear black Coats, and Black or plain White, or White and Gold, or White and Silver, Stuff Waiſtcoats, full trimmed, coloured Swords and Buckles.

Note, The Court is to go out of Mourning on Thurſday the 21ſt Inſtant.

Dublin, July 2.

Yeſterday being the Day appointed for celebrating the Anniverſary of His Majeſty's Birth-Day, the Great Guns in His Majeſty's Park the Phœnix were fired, and anſwered by Vollies from the Regiments in Garriſon, which were drawn out in the Royal Square at the Barracks. At Noon there was a ſplendid Appearance of the Nobility and other Perſons of Diſtinction at the Caſtle, to compliment his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, before whom an Ode, ſet to Muſick, was performed. In the Evening a Play was given by his Excellency to the Ladies; and at Night there were Bonfires, Illuminations, and all other Demonſtrations of Joy.

Whitehall, June 28, 1768.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, That the Chambers of Mr. Thomas Magſon, N°. 16. Mitre-Court Buildings, Inner Temple, were, during his Abſence, and, as it is apprehended, with a falſe Key, opened, between the Hours of Two and Three o'Clock in the Afternoon of Monday the 20th Inſtant; and the ſaid Mr. Magſon was then robbed of Bank Notes to the Amount of 2252 l. 7 s. 0 d. as alſo of about Ten Guineas in Gold, in a Canvas Bag; and a Red Morocco Letter-Caſe, in which were ſeveral Papers and Memorandums. And it being, from ſeveral Circumſtances, ſuſpected, that more than one Perſon was concerned in the above Robbery; His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon or Perſons concerned in the ſaid Robbery, does hereby promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, who ſhall diſcover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SHELBURNE.

And, as a further Encouragement, the ſaid Thomas Magſon does hereby promiſe a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds *to the Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery; to be paid on the Conviction of any one or more of the ſaid Offenders.* Tho. Magſon.

Whitehall, July 2, 1768.

Whereas it hath been humbly repreſented to the King, That notwithſtanding the well-adapted Plan, which the moſt Principal of the Manufacturers in Spitalfields are at this Time purſuing, with the utmoſt Vigour, for the Benefit and Satisfaction of their Journeymen in every Branch of the Trade, yet a great Number of evil-diſpoſed Perſons, armed with Piſtols, Cutlaſſes, and other offenſive Weapons, and in Diſguiſe, aſſembled themſelves together about the Hour of Twelve in the Night of the 26th Day of the laſt Month, and broke open and entred the Dwelling-Houſes and Shops of ſeveral Journeymen Weavers in and near Spitalfields aforeſaid, and, after putting them in corporal Fear and Danger of their Lives, cut to Pieces and deſtroyed the Silk-Works then manufacturing in Nine different Looms there, belonging to Mr. John Baptiſt Hebert, of Steward-Street, Spitalfields, the Damage whereof is very conſiderable: His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in the ſaid Outrages, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one or more of them, who ſhall diſcover his or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SHELBURNE.

And, as a further Encouragement, the ſaid ſeveral Manufacturers do hereby promiſe a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds *to any Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid; to be paid on Conviction of any one or more of the ſaid Offenders, by their Attorney and Solicitor T. Phillips, in Wood-Street, Spitalfields.*

Exciſe-Office, London, July 5, 1768.

The Commiſſioners of Exciſe do hereby give Notice, that Attendance will be given the 6th Inſtant, and for thirty Days afterwards, (Sundays and Holidays excepted) at the Exciſe-Office in the Old Jewry, London, from Eight o'Clock in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon, for receiving ſuch freſh Notices, Entries, and Duties, as are required by Act of Parliament made in the 29th Year of the Reign of his late Majeſty, for laying a Duty of Five Shillings upon every Hundred Ounces of Plate, which any Perſon or Perſons, Bodies Politick or Corporate, ſhall own, uſe, have, or keep, within the Limits of the ſaid Chief Office of Exciſe. And the like Attendance will alſo be given at the ſeveral Offices of Exciſe in England, Wales, and Town of Berwick upon Tweed, for receiving the like Notices, Entries, and Duties from the ſeveral Perſons, Bodies Politick or Corporate, not inhabiting or being ſituate within the Limits of the ſaid Chief Office of Exciſe.

Exciſe Office, London, July 5, 1768.

By Order of the Honourable the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Revenue of Exciſe, &c. on Wedneſday the 27th and Thurſday the 28th of July 1768, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each Day, will be expoſed for Sale (for Home Conſumption) in their Court Room in the Old Jewry, Several Parcels of Condemned Bohea and Green Tea, Coffee Raw and Roaſted, Chocolate, Brandy, Rum, and Geneva, &c.

Printed Catalogues of the Particulars thereof will be delivered at the ſaid Office on Friday the 22d of July; and the Goods may be viewed there, and at the Warehouſes at Porters Key near the Cuſtom-Houſe, on Saturday the 23d and Tueſday the 26th of July, from Nine of the Clock in the Morning to Two in the Afternoon on each Day, and alſo on the firſt Day of Sale till Twelve o'Clock.

General Poſt Office, June 25, 1768.

His Majeſty's Poſtmaſter General, for the further Improvement of Correſpondence, intending to eſtabliſh a Poſt Six Times a Week, inſtead of Three as at preſent, between England and Ireland, both by the Way of Holyhead and Port Patrick, the ſeveral Regulations for that Purpoſe will commence on Wedneſday the 6th of July next.

From that Time alſo the Letters between ſeveral Parts of England and Ireland, which have hitherto been ſent through London, will be circulated directly through the Bye and Croſs Roads; by which Means the Correſpondence between many Commercial Parts in both Kingdoms will be greatly accelerated.

Notwithſtanding the frequent Regulations and Improvements made by the Poſtmaſter General for the Benefit of Correſpondence in divers Parts of Great-Britain and Ireland, it ſtill appears, that vaſt Numbers of Letters are privately collected and delivered contrary to Law, to the great Prejudice of the Revenue: Public Notice *is therefore hereby given, That all Carriers, Coachmen, Watermen, Diſperſers of Country News-Papers, Higlers, and all others whatſoever, hereafter detected in the illegal collecting, conveying, or delivering of Letters or Packets, will be proſecuted with the utmoſt Severity.*

The Penalty is Five Pounds for every ſeveral Offence, and One Hundred Pounds every Week ſuch Practice is continued: One Moiety to the King, and the other Moiety to ſuch Perſon or Perſons who ſhall inform againſt the Offender or Offenders.

By Command of the Poſtmaſter General,
Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

July 9, 1768.

The Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give Notice, That a General Court will be held at the Bank on Thurſday the 14th Inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, being one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter.

Robert Lewin, *Secretary.*

South Sea House, July 6, 1768.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at this House, on Thursday the 21st Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, for the Purpose of declaring a Dividend on their Capital Stock for the Half-Year ending the 5th of this Month.

THE King's Plate of One Hundred Pounds will be run for on Lewes Downs in Suſſex, on Thurſday the 11th of Auguſt next, by any Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, being no more than Six Years old the Graſs before, as muſt be certified under the Hands of the Breeder, carrying twelve Stone, the beſt of three Heats, round the Courſe. To be ſhewn and entered at Verrall's Coffee-Houſe in Lewes, on Wedneſday the 10th Day of Auguſt next, or they are not to run for the ſaid Plate: And if any Difference ariſes relating to their Ages, Entering, or Running, the ſame to be determined by his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, or whom he ſhall appoint, according to ſuch His Majeſty's Orders or Rules as ſhall be produced at the Place of Entering or Running for the ſaid Plate.

And on Friday the 12th of Auguſt next, a Plate of Fifty Pounds will be run for by any Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, being no more than Five Years old the Graſs before, that never won a Plate or Match of the Value of Fifty Pounds at any Time before, carrying ten Stone. Every Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, running for the ſaid Plate, ſhall be ſhewn and entered at Verrall's Coffee-houſe in Lewes, one Week before Running: And each Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, to pay three Guineas Entrance, and Two Shillings and Six-pence to the Clerk of the Courſe: The Entrance-Money to go to the Second beſt Horſe, not diſtanced, winning one clear Heat before or after the Plate is determined. Every Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, ſo Entering for the ſaid Plate, ſhall produce a Certificate of its Age on the Day of Entrance, and to run according to the King's Plate Articles.

And on Saturday the 13th of Auguſt next, another Plate of Fifty Pounds will be run for by any Five Years old, Six Years old, and Aged Horſes, Mares, or Geldings, in Manner following; Five Years old to carry Nine Stone, Six Years old to carry Nine Stone Seven Pounds, and Aged to carry Ten Stone. Every Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, having won Fifty Pounds and upwards, in either Plate or Match, to carry Seven Pounds more than the Maiden Horſe, Mare or Gelding, of the ſame Age. Every Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, running for the ſaid Plate, ſhall be ſhewn and entered at Verrall's Coffee houſe in Lewes, one Week before Running; and each Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, to pay Three Guineas Entrance, and Two Shillings and Six-pence to the Clerk of the Courſe. The Entrance-Money to go to the Second beſt Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, not diſtanced, winning one clear Heat before or after the Plate is determined. Every Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, ſo entering for the ſaid Plate, to produce a Certificate of its Age and Qualifications, on the Day of Entrance; and to run according to the King's Plate Articles.

The Horſe that wins either of the two Plates is to pay One Guinea and a half, for the Uſe of Scales and Drum.

WINCHESTER RACES.

THE Aſſizes for the County of Hants being fixed to be held at Winchester on Saturday the 16th of July, the Races are deferred to Tueſday the 26th of the ſame Month. By Order of the Steward.

July 4, 1768.

NOtice is hereby given, that the Partnerſhip betwixt A. and F. Gunniſs and Luke Phillips, of Louth in Lincolnſhire, and Thomas Murgatroyd, of Haliſax in Yorkſhire, Wool-Staplers, is this Day diſſolved by mutual Conſent, as witneſs our Hands.

A. and F. Gunniſs.
Luke Phillips.
Tho. Murgatroyd.

Monday the Fourth Day of July, in the Eighth Year of the Reign of His Majeſty King George the Third, 1768, between James Terrett, Plaintiff, John Ryall and Another, Defendants.

UPON the Plaintiff's humble Petition this Day preferred unto the Right Honourable the Maſter of the Rolls, for the Reaſons therein, and in the Affidavit therein mentioned, contained; It is ordered, that the Defendant John Ryall do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the 15th Day of Auguſt next.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Edward Montagu, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, The ſeveral Leaſehold Eſtates of John Brown, late of the Liberty of Norton Falgate in the County of Middleſex, Bricklayer, deceaſed, ſituate, lying, and being in in Cock and Moore's Alley, and White Lyon-Street, in the ſaid Liberty, and in Petticoat-Lane, Jewin-Street, and Hog-Lane, in the ſaid County of Middleſex, and in or near Duke's Place and Primroſe-Street, London, amounting together to upwards of 730l. per Annum. For further Particulars inquire at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

THIS is to give Notice, that the Commiſſion of Bankruptcy awarded and iſſued againſt Thomas Jones, of Cholſtry in the Pariſh of Leominſter in the County of Hereford, Dealer, Chapman, and Factor, is, under the Great Seal of Great Britain, ſuperſeded.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Robinſon Lytton, late of Knebworth in the County of Hertford, Eſquire, are forthwith to come before Thomas Lane, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Office in Carey-Street near Lincoln's Inn, London, and prove their ſeveral Demands, or in Default thereof they will be excluded all Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of Walter Bermingham, late of Somerſet Houſe in the County of Middleſex, Gentleman, deceaſed, are forthwith to come and prove their Debts before Samuel Pechell, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery Lane, London.

TO be ſold to the beſt Bidder, by Order of the Aſſignees of Thomas Lindſlee, late of the Pariſh of St. Mary at Lambeth in the County of Surry, Potter, a Bankrupt, on Monday the 18th Day of this Inſtant July, between the Hours of Twelve and One of the Clock of the ſame Day, at the Crown and Rolls Tavern in Chancery-Lane, London, The Letters Patent granted to the ſaid Bankrupt for the ſole Making and Selling of Fictile Pipes, and other Fictile Wares, for the Term of Fourteen Years, of which there is Eleven Years and three Quarters unexpired of the ſaid Term at Midſummer laſt (ſubject to ſome Incumbrances thereon) And at the ſame Place, and immediately after the Sale of the ſaid Letters Patent, will be ſold in one Lot, all the Stock in Trade, Tools, and Implements of the ſaid Bankrupt. The Stock in Trade, Tools, and Implements may be viewed on Monday next, and until the Time of Sale, on the Premiſſes; and Particulars may be had at the Place of Sale, or by enquiring of Mr. Darby, Attorney at Law, at Mr. Lawrence's, in Eſſex-Street in the Strand.

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the Court of Chancery for the County Palatine of Lancaſter, before the Regiſter of the ſaid Court, or his Deputy, at the Houſe of John Nixon, in Leyland in the ſaid County, upon Monday the 5th Day of September next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, The Reverſion and Inheritance of ſeveral Meſſuages, Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments, in Ulves Walton in the County aforeſaid, and now in Leaſe to, or in the reſpective Poſſeſſions of, John Roocroft, John Miller, John Marſh, Richard Norris, Thomas Calvert, William Bretherton, John Balſhaw, John Addiſon, George Threlfall, Thomas Bullen, Thomas Eccles, and Robert Sumner.

Alſo the Fee Simple and Inheritance in Poſſeſſion of and in one Meſſuage and Tenement in Ulves Walton aforeſaid, called Singleton's, now let to, and in Poſſeſſion of, Widow Singleton.

Alſo a Parcel of Ground, lying in Ulves Walton aforeſaid, called Gradwell, about Four Acres, now let to, and in Poſſeſſion of, Ralph Bamber, with a Nurſery, and about 220 Trees growing therein.

Alſo one other Parcel of Ground in Ulves Walton aforeſaid, about Six Acres, now let to, and in Poſſeſſion of, John Miller.

And alſo a ſmall Parcel of Meadow Ground in Euxton in the County aforeſaid, adjoining to Mr. Rothwell's Eſtate, and a ſmall Parcel of Ground in Eccleſton near Croſton in the County aforeſaid, in Leaſe to Samuel Crook, Eſq;

All which ſaid Premiſes are Part of the Eſtate of the late Dr. Longworth, of Ormſkirk in the County aforeſaid, deceaſed.

Particulars of the ſaid Eſtates may be had at the ſaid Regiſter's Office in Preſton.

THE Creditors of John Smith, late of Stepney, otherwiſe Stebonheath in the County of Middleſex, Dealer and Chapman, a Bankrupt, are deſired to meet the Aſſignee of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Tueſday next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall Coffee-Houſe, King-Street, Cheapſide, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignee commencing one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching or concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or the compounding or ſubmitting to Arbitration any Matter in Diſpute relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt iſſued againſt John Sibthorpe, late of the Pariſh of St. Bridget, otherwiſe St. Bride's, London, Diſtiller, are deſired to meet the Aſſignee on Thurſday the 21ſt Day of July inſtant, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Paul's Head Tavern in Cateaton-Street near Guildhall, London, to aſſent to or diſſent from the compromiſing or agreeing any Matter in Diſpute relating to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; and other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt James Peltro, late of the Pariſh of Teddington in the County of Middleſex, Calico-Printer, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt, on Thurſday the 14th Day of this Inſtant July, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Crown and Anchor Tavern in the Strand, touching the Diſpoſal of the Works; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for James Reid and Thomas Stevens, of the Pariſh of Stroud in the County of Gloucester, Clothiers and Partners, (Bankrupts) to ſurrender themſelves, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects, for Sixteen Days, to be computed from the 19th Day of July inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 14th Day of Auguſt next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Thomas Barber,